ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

SELECTMEN,

OVERSEERS OF THE POOR AND TREASURER

OF THE

TOWN OF HARWICH,

FOR THE YEAR

1884.

HARWICH, MASS.:
"Independent" Steam Printing Establishment.
1885.

REPORT:

SUPPLIES FOR ALMSHOUSE.

Charles E. Brett's	bill,	$ 39 63
Phillip N. Small's	"	21 17
H. Kelley & Co's.	"	74 24
Zeph. Nickerson's	"	6 65
Lorenzo Doane's	"	64 32
Freeman Snow's	"	20 49
D. S. Steel's	"	11 56
Nathan Ellis'	"	29 02
Thomas R. Eldridge's	"	104 79
S. B. Kelley's	"	47 18
S. K. Sears'	"	16 40
Orrin Mecarta's	"	38 50
Moses Handren's	"	15 75
Theophilus Burgess'	"	1 00
F. D. Weekes'	"	26 69
F. W. Baker's	"	2 30
John K. Kendrick's	"	39 86
Nathaniel Robbins'	"	67 02
Joseph O. Baker's	"	34 67
James S. Paine's	"	27 50
Nathaniel Doane's	"	5 50
Jeremiah Walker's	"	3 10
Freeman E. Burgess'	"	15 80

Cyrus Baker's	bill	$ 11 00
Erastus Chase's	"	20 94
Joseph K. Robbins'	"	49 69
T. B. Baker's	"	28 98
Z. D. Chase's	"	2 50
Rinaldo Eldridge's	"	14 00
Keeper's Wages,		250 00
		$1090 25

POOR SUPPLIED OUT OF ALMSHOUSE.

MariaMerchant's children,	$15 50
Hitty C. Hunt,	46 25
Abner Eldridge,	12 50
Tamazin Cahoon,	24 00
Mary Halliday,	28 50
Eben. Cahoon & family 1883 and 1884,	84 61
James Robinson,	12 92
Oscar D. Lovejoy,	39 00
Barzillai Nickerson,	47 80
Jane Nickerson,	52 00
Sally W. Nickerson,	48 00
Theo. S. Snow,	8 00
Anna C. Williams,	12 00
Salome Snow, '83 & 4,	124 50
Abram Shuster,	79 00
Alex. Nickerson and family,	150 00
Widow E. Mayo,	73 17
Olive E. Bassett and children,	60 63
Bethia Doane,	92 00
Alice Glinden,	26 25
Jos. D. Ellis and family,	24 25
Joseph Chase,	37 74
Eliza A. Handy,	8 25
Marshal Kelley, coffin,	12 75
Edwin Nickerson,	$ 40 00
Lewis F. Smith,	5 92
Isaiah Smith,	12 25
Lydia Robbins,	62 50
Almira Eldridge,	18 73
Simeon Y. Nickerson,	39 00
James Cahoon,	39 00
Samuel Chase,	57 61
Ulysses Baker,	72 00
Elra A. Crowell,	35 25
Ensign Chase and wife	110 51
Esther Chase,	27 00
Paulina Hamilton,	25 59
Heman Nickerson,	42 24
Emily Nickerson,	74 75
Sarah Phillips,	42 59
Nancy Nickerson,	25 50
Hezekiah Moody,	74 93
Hiram Eldridge,	38 00
Maria Berry's children,	55 50
Polly Eldridge,	22 50
Aldena Eldridge,	33 50
Phebe Heylingburg,	21 78
Phebe Y. Chase,	3 75
Edwin L. Chase,	35 00
	$2135 02

POOR SUPPORTED FOR OTHER TOWNS.

David Chipman, of Boston,	$118 00
Hannah Gardner, of Nantucket,	41 73
Jerry O'Brien, State,	76 75
Rufus Mayo, of Chatham,	6 00
Henry C. Allen's family, of Fall River,	10 00
	$252 48

INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL.

Euretta Chase,	$42 14

SUPPORTED IN INSANE HOSPITALS.

Mary J. Maker,	$218 28
Thankful W. Chase,	222 75
Erastus K. Allen,	243 64
Andrew H. Coggins,	186 64
America Nickerson, (to be refunded),	4 64
	$875 95

REPAIRS ON ROADS.

D. S. Steel, Surveyor,	$229 29
Ebenezer Eldridge, "	52 30
Thomas G. Small, "	230 56
Charles H. Kelley, "	264 86
Ebenezer Weekes, "	109 54
Albert Kenney, "	162 37
Richard W. Rogers, "	85 15
Paid for Clay for Roads,	33 82
	$1167 89

BRIDGES.

Repairs on Bass River bridges,	$78 01
B. D. Kelley's bridge, repairs,	30 49

Erastus Chase's bridge, repairs,	$ 13 07
Bell's Neck bridges, "	30 65
Allen's bridge, rebuilt,	51 55
Cove bridge, repairs,	50 88
Railing and Spouts on roads,	51 65
	$306 30

NEW ROADS.

Land damage on R. Allen's road,	$ 2 00
" " C. S. Hunt,	2 00
" " Round Cove road, East Harwich,	87 10
Labor on Round Cove road,	308 50
	$399 60

MILITARY AID.

Henry Baker,	$ 96 00	Wm. H. Ellis,	$ 48 00
Wm. W. Chase,	40 00	Benj. Bassett,	40 00
Wm. Field,	120 00	Kenny Eldridge,	72 00
David P. Clark,	72 00		
			$488 00

TOWN OFFICERS.

D. S. Steel, Selectman, 1883 in full,	$ 22 50
W. B. Kelley, " " "	26 25
Isaiah Chase, " " "	13 60
S. B. Kelley, School Committee,	15 00
Zeph. Nickerson, " "	15 00
Warren J. Nickerson, " "	15 00
S. A. Hayward, " "	20 00
G. N. Munsell, " "	45 00
Nathan H. Chase, " "	10 00
Zeph. Nickerson, Collector 1882, for premiums and remittances,	155 27

E. G. Doane, Constable Services,	$ 10 00
M. B. Chase, " "	2 00
Seth Paine, " "	3 50
Stephen Turner, " " 1882,	5 00
Mark F. Nickerson, Registrar,	16 25
Joshua H. Paine, "	16 25
Martin L. Chase, "	13 75
Charles E. Kelley, "	13 75
W. B. Kelley, Assistant "	3 75
Danforth S. Steel, Selectman, 1884,	90 00
Watson B. Kelley, " "	122 50
David Kelley, " "	98 80
	$733 17

SCHOOL BOOKS BOUGHT BY SCHOOL COMMITTEE, AGREEABLE TO NEW LAW.

Paid for Books and School Materials,	$718 48

MISCELLANEOUS.

A. P. Goss, Printing and Advertising,	$107 50
G. N. Munsell, Medical Attendance and Medicine,	99 70
Freeman E. Chase, Labor on Herring River, by vote of the Town,	45 00
John Stetson, Medical Attendance,	8 35
Social Hall, Rent for Town Meetings,	40 00
Stationery, Stamps, Expressage, etc.,	10 32
Taxes Remitted on Ivory B. Kelley's Homestead, (two years,)	34 62
Patrick Kelley, Damage to Carriage,	1 75
Collectors' Books and Expressage,	5 05
Travelling Expenses, for Poor and with Commissioners	16 00
Guide Board and Voters' Platform,	9 33
Levi Long, going with Hearse, and paid Repairs,	68 00
S. K. Crowell, Painting Hearse House,	7 88
Nathan Walker, Finding Untaxed Property, as per Town vote,	20 00
	$473 50

SCHOOLS.

High School.

Teacher's Wages,	$600 00
Janitor's "	18 50
Fuel,	12 00
Diplomas,	2 50
Repairs,	12 00
	$645 00

Centre.

Teachers' Wages,	$750 00
Janitor's "	54 00
Fuel,	42 95
Repairs,	35 59
	$882 54

Harwich Port.

Teachers' Wages,	$734 00
Janitor's "	41 00
Fuel,	46 74
Repairs,	46 28
	$868 02

West Harwich.

Teachers' Wages,	$561 00
Janitor's "	35 15
Fuel,	23 85
Repairs,	48 71
	$668 71

South Harwich.

Teachers' Wages,	$561 00
Janitor's "	30 25
Fuel,	42 35
Repairs,	22 48
	$656 08

East Harwich.

Teachers' Wages,	$561 00
Janitor's "	66 53
Fuel,	34 80
Repairs,	27 50
	$689 83

North Harwich.

Teachers' Wages,	$412 50
Janitor's "	30 00
Fuel,	22 85
Repairs,	10 96
	$476 31

Pleasant Lake.

Teachers' Wages,	$217 50
Janitor's "	26 84
Fuel,	12 90
Repairs,	5 98
	$263 22

RECAPITULATION.

Expense of Poor in Almshouse,	$ 1090 25
" " " out "	2135 02
Supplied for Other Towns,	252 48
Industrial School,	42 14
Insane Asylum,	875 95
Repairs on Roads,	1167 89
" " Bridges,	306 30
New Roads,	399 60
Military Aid,	488 00
Town Officers,	733 17
School Books, per Legislative act of 1883,	718 48
Schools,	5149 81
Miscellaneous,	473 50
	$13832 59

In full payment for the same the Selectmen have drawn orders on the Treasurer to the amount of Thirteen Thousand, Eight Hundred and Thirty-two and 59-100 Dollars.

Jan. 11, 1885.

WATSON B. KELLEY,
DAVID KELLEY,
DANFORTH S. STEEL,
} Selectmen of Harwich.

J. H. PAINE, TREASURER, IN ACCOUNT WITH TOWN OF HARWICH.

	Dr.
Cash on hand at Last Settlement,	$5288 02
" of Isaac B. Young, for coffin for Alonzo Patterson,	15 00
" " County Treasurer, Dog Fund,	79 80
" " Nantucket, Hannah Gardner,	84 25
" " Orleans, Jerusha J. Robbins,	8 00
" " State Treasurer, School Fund,	265 38
" " Chatham, Mary Eldridge,	8 86
" " Fall River, H. Allen's family,	10 00
" " Boston, David Chipman,	138 50
" " State Treasury for J. O'Brien,	80 00
" " Estate Lizzie Cahoon, (Peter and Hittie)	261 68
for Auctioneers' Licenses,	4 00
" " Sale of Elizabeth Cahoon's Homestead,	45 00
" " C. C. Five Cents Savings Bank,	2000 00
" " Estate Alvin Cahoon, Jr., Tax, 1881,	17 30
" " T. B. Baker, Herring Brook,	275 00
" " Town of Sandwich, R. Clark,	6 00
" " Cape Cod National Bank, Tax,	6480 00
" " Licensed Billiard Saloons,	4 00
" " State, Corporation Tax,	828 42
" " State, National Bank Tax,	410 10
" State Aid, Chap. 301, Acts of 1879,	884 67
" " " " 252, " "	290 00
" " Tax on Foreign Ships,	103 94
" " Nath'l Doane, Bal. Herring Brook, 1882,	60 00
" " Gershom Hall, Collector, in full for 1882 and 1883,	2586 25
" " Nathan Walker on Note,	20 00
" " Zeph. Nickerson, Collector, in full, 1882,	100 00
" " " " " 1883,	3400 00
" " Gershom Hall, " 1884,	2830 00
" " Thomas Ellis, " 1884,	4240 52
	$30824 69

J. H. PAINE, TREASURER, IN ACCOUNT WITH TOWN OF HARWICH.

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Outstanding Orders, 1883, paid in 1884,	$ 274 77
Orders Exhibited and Cancelled, 1884,	13373 32
State Aid Orders for 1884,	901 00
Expressage $3 65, Stationery, Stamps, Blank Books, etc., $10 49,	14 14
Paid for Return of Births,	9 00
" Treasurer's Notice, as Sealer of Weights and Measures,	1 50
" Registrar's Expenses,	3 00
" Insurance on Harwich Port, North Harwich and Centre School Houses,	23 76
" Interest at C. C. Five Cents Savings Bank,	40 00
" " State Notes,	585 00
" " On Bonds,	450 00
" Note C. C. Five Cents Savings Bank,	2000 00
" State Note,	2000 00
" State Tax,	1220 00
" National Bank Tax,	4978 19
" County Tax,	737 68
" Recording 50 Births, $25 00; Recording 48 Deaths, $16 80,	41 80
" Recording 48 Marriages,	9 60
" Treasurer's Salary,	100 00
Cash in Treasury,	4061 93
	$30824 69

TOWN'S LIABILITIES.

Outstanding Orders,	$ 459 27
State Treasurer's Notes,	8000 00
Bonds of Last Issue,	9000 00
	$17459 27

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RESOURCES.

Cash in Treasury,				$ 4061 93
Due from Zeph. Nickerson,	Collector,	1883,		26 14
" " Thomas Ellis,	"	1884,		5612 33
" " Gershom Hall,	"	1884,		3224 02
" " Real Estate,				100 00
" " State Aid, 1884,				901 00
" " Military Aid, 1884,				488 00
" " Herring Brook, 1885,				275 00
" " Other Towns, Pauper Accounts,				210 75
" " Nathan Walker's Note,				155 69
" " James F. Rogers' Note,				21 00
				$15075 86

All of which is respectfully submitted,

Harwich, Jan. 12, 1885.

WATSON B. KELLEY,
DAVID KELLEY,
DANFORTH S. STEEL, } Auditing Committee.